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FM AMEMBASSY MEXICO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9235

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AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

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S/NM FOR AMBASSADOR VANCE

DEA FOR EO-CUSACK

E. O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: PRESIDENCY OF COMMISSION ON NARCOTICS DRUGS (CND)

REFS: A) MEXICO 6496; B) MEXICO 6343; AND PREVIOUS

1. AMBASSADOR CASTRO Y CASTRO CALLED AUGUST 4 TO SPEAK TO AMBASSADOR JOVA. IN THE ABSENCE OF AMBASSADOR JOVA, CASTRO Y CASTRO RELAYED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION TO SPECIAL ASSISTANT ALBERTI.

2. CASTRO Y CASTRO HAD A CONVERSATION EARLIER THE SAME DAY WITH THE MINISTER-COUNSELLOR OF THE SOVIET EMBASSY, WITH THE KNOWLEDGE AND APPROVAL OF THE SOVIET AMBASSADOR. HE TOLD CASTRO Y CASTRO THAT IF THE MAJORITY OF CND MEMBERS SUPPORTED THE MEXICAN CANDIDACY, THEN THE SOVIET UNION WOULD NOT INSIST ON OBTAINING THE PRESIDENCY. IN THAT CASE, HE SAID, THEY WOULD AGREE TO THE RE-ELECTION OF DR. BABAIAN TO
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THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENCY.

3. CASTRO Y CASTRO SAID HE KNEW THAT BOTH AMBASSADOR
JOVA AND AMBASSADOR VANCE WERE VERY INTERESTED IN THE
RUSSIAN REACTION, SO HE WANTED TO GET THIS NEWS TO
THEM AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE.
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